IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS **LUFKIN DIVISION**

MPR 3 0 2002

DAVID J. MALAND, CLES

§ JULIO COLEGIO, et al § **Plaintiffs** § Civil Action No. 9:01 CV 161 § v.

EQUITABLE ACCEPTANCE CORP., et al.

Defendants

Judge: Hannah

AMENDED JOINT DISCOVERY PLAN AND SCHEDULING ORDER

In accordance with the proposed Joint Motion to Amend Joint Discovery Plan and Scheduling Order, the court finds that the following amended scheduling order should issue. It is therefore, ORDERED that the following schedule of deadlines replace and supercede the deadlines previously issued by this court on December 17, 2001 until futher order of this court:

Will be set at a later date Bench Trial:

Submission of Final Pretrial order following the format in Appendix D of the local Court rules which shall include and be in lieu of the disclosures required by Rule 26(a)(3) and submission of Proposed Findings of Fact & Conclusion of Law:

August 27, 2002

Responses to dispositive motions:

September 3, 2002

Last date to file dispositive motions or motions challenging expert witnesses:

August 12, 2002

Discovery deadline:

July 26, 2002

Defendant to identify trial witnesses:

July 22, 2002

Plaintiff to identify trial witnesses:

July 15, 2002

Defendant to answer amended pleadings:

July 26, 2002



Amend Pleadings:

(It is not necessary to file a motion for leave to amend before the deadline to amend pleadings. It is necessary to file a motion for leave to amend after the deadline to amend pleadings.)

July 12, 2002

Disclosure of Expert Testimony by Defendant (See Fed.R.Civ.P. 26(a)(2) and Local Rule CA-26(b) for information required to be disclosed):

July 12, 2002

Disclosure of Expert Testimony by Plaintiff (See Fed.R.Civ.P. 26(a)(2) and Local Rule CA-26(b) for information required to be disclosed):

June 28, 2002

Mediation to be completed:

August 20, 2002

Privilege logs to be exchanged by parties (or a letter to the court stating that there are no disputes as to claims of privileged documents):

July 19, 2002

Join additional parties:

May 31, 2002

Signed this the **28** day of __

2002.

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